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Attached please find the following for filing in the above-identified application.

(1) Amendment in response to Office Action dated October 5, 2005.

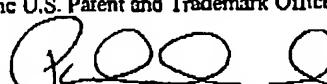
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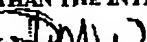
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## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Application No.: 10/706,847

Examiner: Monica A. Huson

Filed: November 12, 2003

Group Art Unit: 1732

For: PROCESS AND APPARATUS FOR MOLDING POLYMER FITTINGS

AMENDMENT

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action of October 5, 2005, amendment to the above-identified patent application is requested.

The present amendment comprises the following sections:

## A. Amendments to the Claims

## B. Remarks

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